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"I wore on my jourcey a heavy overcoat of The sale rooms are open to the public, and at black leather, lined with thick fur, a fur jacket and trousers, a fur waistcoat, and thick felt edin the room, much to the astonishment of boots, but the knife-edged wind sometimes cut through these as if they had been so much

Mountains, and I was badly frosthitten. My the effects of frostbite.

"We starte ! from Lansdowne, in the Himalayas, on March 15, 1909," said Lieusisted of ten men, all of whom, however, with the exception of my sturdy little Garhwall orderly, who is here with me now, were change ed from time to time.

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"The liqueurs were for the 'Ambana,' or Chinese officials encountered along the line of route, the crystallised and the bottled fruits for the Begs, or smaller officials. I found my gifts most effective.

"A bottle of milk punch which I presented to one official and a bottle, of charry brandy which adother received from me, had especially

"Our itiperary, which can be readily followed in outline on any map, was as follows ;-From Lansdowne to Rawalpindi, Kashmir, Gilgit Horizs, over the Pamirs-the Roof of the World'-and by the little known Yarkand River Into the Kulan Urgu Valley, and on to Yarkand, continuing through Chinese Turkistan, over the Tian Chan Mountains to Mongolia, across the Altal Mountains to Siberia and so to the Trans-Siberian Railway-which was struck at Novo Nicholaevsk Station; thence

by rail to Moscow, Warsaw, and Berlin, and so through Hanover to England. "The journey by the route I followed had

never been made before. "From the time we left Kashmir until we touched the Trans-Siberian Railway it was all marching or riding-except the last 750 miles through Sibbris, which were accomplished by

TOO SIMPLY DIET. "During most of the journey our diet was confined to Mutton, Rice, Potatoes. I never want to look at muttop again. How I longed for a decent civilised meal and a mug of good Pilsener! What I regretted most of all, however, was the absence of any follow-being of

my own race with whom to talk, "I speak French, Hindustani, Persian, and Poshtu, but conversing with a foreigner in fore go tongue is not the same thing.

"It was in proceeding by the Yarkand River and crossing a hitherto untrodden pass that had my first disaster. This past is 17,400 feat high. The descent was exceptionally steep, and the bridle-path-it was little more-was frozen as smooth as glass.

"One of my yak-men, who was carrying some valuable camera slides and measurement records, suddenly slipped and fell 1,500 feet, his drop to death being punctuated by the tinkle of breaking slides:

"It was in the Tian Chan district of Chinese Turkistan that we encountered the strange Calmuck women, one of whom, although wearing leather thigh-boots with abnormally high beels managed readily to ride and subdue a bucking horse that was the despair of my orderly. These Kalmucks are born horsemen and borsewomen.

"In the Tian Chan the horse thieves proved very troublesome, one of my hunters losing thirty-six horses out of too.

"We crossed into the Black Irtish Valley without guides, every one of them having bolled," Lieutenant Etherton's lips are sealed as to the political phases of his mission. He states that he had no sooner reached the Russian border than he was informed by officials that Russia had invaded India and that Lord Minto, Viceroy, had been made Prime Minister of Rogland!

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RAW RUBBBR.

HOW IT IT HANDLED AND SOLD.

Mincing Lane—the home of all commodities -is the true home of robber. But a few years. ago the " Lane " brokers (who also are mostly tes, coffee and cocos brokers) devoted but a take place once a fortnight-on Tuesday-in Sala Rooms in the centre of Mincing Lane. the last sale a fashionably dressed lady appearbuyers and sellers.

As a rule rubbar expert buyer pays a round of visits to the various showrooms a day or two "Ose such blizzerd caught us in the Altai, previous to sale day. Catalogue in hand, he marks, a value against each lot or parcel of legs suffered the most, but by cutting away rubber to be sold. Some of the little parcels, dead flesh, by snow-massage, frequent bandag. | displayed on long wooden benches, are called ing, and the attention I received at a small "smoked sheet." They andli like kippered Russian military post on the Russo-Chinese herrings and are black as tar. Others, called, frontier, I saved both legs, although I still feel "blacuits," appear transparent pancakes, and another variety. "pale sheet," is as thin and white as wafers. These are the best qualities and sail at sos to tos 6d per lb. Then there are tenant Etherton in describing his journey. what are termed "worms," long, twisted, "The expedition in addition to myself, con. wriggley colls, "crope" and "scrap," the latter like solidified spougy milk, Scrap is the lowest quality and sells at about 7s per 1b. Many of the best companies, such as the Vallambrosa, Highlands and Lowlands, Linggi, London Asiatic, Kepong, Straits Bortam, Consolidated Malay, Bukit Rijab, Oicely, Malacca, &c., sell thousands of pounds weight at each sale at an average price of nearly tot per lb at the present moment, and as the cost price is near 2s per lb enormous profits are being made.

> WHAT AN AUCTION IS LIKE. On auction day, at It a m, the first auctioneer to sell enters the rostrum. The rubber auctioneer is a principal of an important City firm who sells thousand of pounds' worth of goods in a few minutes, and while one member of the firm may be selling rubber in one room, another will be doing the same thing in tea in an adjoining room. There is a curlous difforence in the sale of the two articles. Ten is so closely valued that it is no uncommon thing for a single bid to secure the parcel; other buyers who desire to purchase the same lot will not bid against the first buyer, but divide the parcel with him in order to save paying too much. This is not so in every case, because a price for the will often be started, say, at 9d per lb, and eventually realise rod or aid by bids of 1d per lb. On the other hand, rubbar which is really worth ton per lb will be offered (on the Dutch system) at tos to the room; generally there is no response; the seller than lowers his price to, say, 98 10d, 91 8d, '9s 6d, '9s 2d. Someone then bids 9s; by easy stages of 1d and 1d per lb the price is run up to see 4d or perhaps tos od, the highest bidder taking the lot, Thirty distinct bids of a 2 | per lb have been counted before a lot has been secured. Every bid is made almost secretly—a wink, a nod, a raising of the sysbrow, or a soft-spoken word is sufficient. Contrast this silent method with the tes room, when all is shouting and screaming that can be heard out in the street beyond, and one wonders at the different methods. Tea is certainly sold more quickly, and there seems to be a great waste of valuable time in the way rubber is sold. Since the " boom " things are better, as parcels are taken more quickly at their normal value.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the TWEN-TY-FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Company's Offices, St. George's Building, on SATURDAY, the soth April, 1910, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors, to: gether with a Statement of Accounts to 28th February, 1910, and electing of Directors and

The TRANSFER HOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 16th to the 30th pril, 1910, both days inclusive." By Order of the Board of Directors,

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkoog, 13th April, 1910. UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF

CINTON, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

FINAL DIVIDEND of Twenty Dollars per Share for the year 1908 and an NTERIX DIVIDEND of Thirty Dollars per Share for the year 1909 will be PAYABLE on THURSDAY, the 14th instant, Warrants may be had on application at the

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Hongkong, 13th Apr l, 1910.

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THE ROBBER SUPPLY.

It is somewhat curious that the Brazilian Government has in resent years done little or nothing in the way of encouraging the extension of the rubber gathering industry in its immense greas of virgin forest land. Information forthcoming from people well in touch with the local conditions in Brazil is to the effect that Para subber as at present exploited cannot continue to compete successfully in the world's markets when once the Eastern plantations have attained a large degree of development, of which development there is a car tainty. The cost of the bare necessities of life, to say nothing of the comforts of existence, has greatly increased in Brazil, and the lot of the native labourer is of the most wearisome and monotonous character. The real danger to the Amazon industry lies, indeed, in the competition of cultivated rubber, akin to that produced in the Federated Malay States. The Brazilian output could bardly be maintained at its present size, indeed, unless prices continue at s high level. The working expenses are so great, the taxes imposed so onerous, that may permanent fall in the selling rates of rubber would involve, it is auggested, not alone the diminution of production, but a serious custailment of national income and State revenue.

Rubber cultivation in the Bast and, no doubt, elsewhere can be carried on profitably by sleadily improving the methods, at a rate of expeoditure which would be wholly inadequate when dealing with virgin forest land; therefore there does not appear to be much attraction for foreign capitalists to invest money or acquire properties in the Amazon Valley region. Apart from the output of fine Para rubber, it may be remarked that increasing quantities of lower grade description of produce are being exported from other parts of Brazil, and this tendency may proceed further, though to what extent

In the States comprised in Central America a fair amount of rubber is produced, but on small quantities are obtained from Ecuador, Nicaragua, and Colombia; nevertheless output from those areas cannot be altogether Stone Nullah Lane, and Nos. 4, 6, 8, to and a .. disregarded. Mexico, however, is a more prolific source of supply, enterprise there being chiefly backed up by United States capitals while the product is mainly absorbed by North American consumers, and hence comparatively little finds its way to Europe. In these constricts the tendency is to increased output, and systematic cultivation is being carried on to an epiarged extent, though Europe takes but little interest in developments here.

> Outside the Western Continent the most important contributor to the world's supplies is tropical Africa, which furnishes fully one-third of the total crop. In 1907 the gr. as ascertained yield of the Dark Continent was 25,600 tons, and the returns for 1908 fell to 32,000 tons, but last year rose to 24,000 tons : therefore it will was in Bond at Bombay, is still not withdrawn. be seen that, notwithstanding the remarkable. The output of silver for the province of advance in the price last autumn, the supplies in 1909 failed to catch up with those of 1907. This naturally tends to emphasise the fact that there are considerable difficulties in Africa in extending operations even under the stimules of high prices. These difficulties chiefly centre upon the labour supply, as in the Ameron Valley; moreover, there is a decided tack of organisation, while the methods in vogue amongst the natives are necessarily crude in the extreme, and very wasteful, whereby the San Francisco to Hongkong. virility of the plants is imperilled and their productiveness impaired. Another obstacle of importance is the great distance which has to Angola, and Mozambique. The output in stood before the imposition of the new import the island of Madagascar is also of duties in India, some importance, while developments are on foot to extend the industry under French | to India and China, and it is expected that the auspices. Since the acquisition of the next two weeks will see considerable shipments Congo Free State by Belgian Government compulsory working was nominally put or even their strict letter be observed there is little doubt that the returns of rubber from this quarter will be considerably diminished. It is, indeed, predicted that this year's output will mark quite a notable shrinkage, for the natives loathe the industry owing to the long years of sovereigns, chiefly for Egypt. brutality and mutilation suffered by them under the old regime. In the course of time and by a steady persistence in more humane methods the present aversion can be conquered, but this process will take some years for its fruits to be gathered. Within the last fow years the most extravagant predictions were made spent possibilities of increasing the African output, chiefly with reference to the Belgian Congo, because of reports often circulated as to the systematic and extensive planting in progress, but these are to a great extent mythical Looking at the prospects of production all over the Dark Continent, there is but little reason to apprehend that there is anything in store in the way, of a surprise from a market point of

view, possible deficiencies in one direction

being compensated for by growth elsewhere,

La,000,000 are invested in rubber plantations.

Further, there have been attempts made in

Northern Rhodesia to initiate planting, and

yet to prognosticate how far success will smile

upon them, and there is no desire at present

quite part of financiers to lend their aid in

these districts, for the glamous of the Federat-

ed Staley Brates eclipses all elec. Booning

BULLION.

Messra, Samuel Montago & Co.'s Circular dated London, March 24. contains the follow-Gold.—The arrivals of bar gold amounted to

about £550,000 sterling, and were divided between the Bank of England and the Continent with the exception of about A180,000 reserved

The rise in the Bank Rate last wook had the effect of attracting gold from abroad, but only n small quantities. It is to be hoped that now that money has become dearer, more may come.

The following amounts have been received by the Bank :--May. 17, £95,000 in bar gold.

6,000 in sovereigns from Paris. 95,000 in bar gold. 32,000 in 200,000 in U. S. gold coin from

#54,000 in U. S. gold coin from

12,000 in bar gold. 6,000 in U. S. A. gold coip. 13,000 in sovereigns from 65,000 in bar gold.

51,000 in Withdrawals have been made as under :-March 17, £51,000 in sovereigns for the Rive

India. 24,030 Colombo. 19, 100,000 Egypt. ,, 23, 20,000 Colombo. 12,000 Gibraltar.

The net influx during the week is £516,000, The India Council have acquired for the currency gold reserve, a further £300,000 in sovereigns, due from Egypt and Australia. April 2 and April 23.

Silver-It is an evidence of the healthy state of the market that the influence of the enhanced silver duty in India has been so slight and eva-

The shadow of Indian Government buying is usually cast in front, so that, relying on past experience, the Indian Bazzars will doubtless anticipate the prospect of Government purchases on their market as well as in London, and thus be 'confident that under favourable monsoon conditions, silver will be a safe investment, if only to resell to, the Indian Government at a later date.

Such an impression seems to have been at work this week, and orders to buy for the Indiau Barters have been much in evidence.

China was inclined to feed the market when the price rose to 24d on the 21nd, instant; yesterday a relapse to 23 1 brought buyers on China account, but the price closed the same evening at 23 15/16d, thus showing the stability of the present range of prices.

The visible stock is now becoming less unwieldy; that in ladia (about 4,000 bars) is barely sufficient for working purposes, now that the parity with Chiba is so close that the latter country occasionally draws upon the supplies in Bombay. It must not be forgotten. however, that the bulk of the £450,000, that

Ontario last year equalled half the total production of the Uasted States of America.

We hear that the number of false supees composed of genuine silver that have come into circulation in India, is so large that it is believed's private mint has been out blished for that purpose in China.

About Lico,coo is being placed on board this week's steamer for the East. A shipment of £20,000 has been made from

Messirs, Mocatta and Goldsmid's Circular

dated London, March 24, says :-The Silver market has again shown considerbe covered in bringing rubber down to the able strength and the price has further improvcoast, and the absence of cheap and rapid ed, 24d being quoted on the 2 and instant. transport. By far the greater part of the Afri- There was a seaction the following day to 23% can output comes from the West Coast district, on some China selling, but to-day the market which provided 15,500 tons last year, compared is again firmer 23 15.16 being quoted with 14,000 tons in 1907. The most productive with a steady tendency. The buying has regions of West Africa are the Belgian and been chiefly for the bazzars and for specula-French Congos-the former recking with hor- tors, whose attention to the strength of the rors and atrocities. There are besides the market has been attracted by the quick re-French and British Colonies of Western Africa, covery silver has made to the level at which it

> Some small shipments are being made both to Bumbay.

There was again a fair demand on Russig a stop to, and if the spirit of the regulations for Bar Gold, but the Bank of England secured over £300,000 out of this week's arrival on the same terms as last week.

The receipts include £176,000 in Bar Gold and £206,000 in U. S. A. coin, while the with drawals for the week amount to £132,000 in

Intimation.

We beg to inform our numerous customers and the public in general hat we have been appointed Agent for the "CREME SIMON" and Simon's Produces for Tollet also in Brijsh East Africa, but it is too early Requisites, Perfumery, Powder,

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Bosp, etc.

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A SILLY, SAYING. It is a common but silly opinion prevailing among a certain class of people that the worse a remedy tastes, smells or hurts, the more efficacious it is." So says a well-known English physician, He further adds : example, let us consider cod liver oil . As it if extracted from the fish this oll is so offensive. to the taste and smell that almost everybody. abhors it, and many cannot use it at all, no matter how badly they need it. Yet cod livery oil is one of the most valuable drugs in the world, and it is the greatest pity that we have not thus far been able to free it from those peculiarities which so seriously interfere with its usefulness." This was written years ago; the work of civilizing and redeeming it however has since been triumphantly accomplished; and as a leading ingredient in the

remedy called WAMPOLE'S PREPARATION the oil retains all its wonderful curative properties with no bad smell or taste whatever. It is palatable as honey and contains all the nutritive and curative properties of Pure Cod Liver Oil, extracted by us from fresh cod livers, combined with the Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites and Extracts of Malt and Wild Cherry; creating a medicine of unequaled power for the diseases most prevalent and fatal among men, women and children. There is no other remedy to compare with it. It in creases the digestive power of the stomach and in Blood Impurities, Weakness, Loss of Flesh, Phroat, and Lung Troubles, Nervous pepsia, Scrofulous Affections, Thinness Slow Development in the young, it gives quick and certain relief and cure. Dr. G. C. Shannon, of Canada, says : "I shall continue its use with, I am sure, great advantage to my patients and satisfaction to myself." Has all the virtues of cod liver oil; none of its faults. You may trust it fully; it cannot disappoint or fail. One bottle convinces. Sold by all chemists.

NOTICE.

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MARTICULARS of all Claims against the estate of the above usmed deceased saudid be sent in writing to the Undersigned on or before Monday, the 25th instant, Dared 18th April, 1910.

STUART J. FULLER. Vice-Consul General in charge, American Consulate. Hongkong,

THE TRADE MARKS ORDINANCE.

TRADE MARK. OTICE is hereby given that the PAR-SUNS TRADING CUMPANY. oration organized under the laws of the State of New York, United States of America, having its principal office located at

APPLICATION FOR REGISTRATION OF

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the name of said PARSON; TRADING COMPANY, who claim to be the sole proprietors thereof.

The Trade Mark has been used by the applicant and its predecessors, the firm Parsons Bros, since the year 1901, in respect of the following goods, viz. :-- Writing Paper, Paper used for printing, Drawing Paper, Paper Board and other forms of fine paper, and manufactures of paper in Class 39.

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C. MONTAGUE EDE. Secretary.

Hongkong, 14th April, 1910.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

By Order of the Board.

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By Order of the Board. C. MONTAGUE EDE.

Societary. Hongkong, 14th April, 1910.

NOTICE

OTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the tweeh has the undersigned carrying on business as SHARE and GENERAL BROKERS at No. 5 Queen's Road Central, Victoria, under be style or firm of VERNON & SMYTH bas been DISSOLVED and the interest and Dyser responsibility of the undersigned JOHN YARDLEY VERNON VERNON in the said firm has CRASED as from the 31st March

.All Debts due to and owing by the late firm of Vernon & Smyth w.ll be received and paid respectively by the undersigned FRANK SMYTH , who will contione to carry on the said bushess under the style or firm of Vernon & Smyth."

Dated the 1st day-of-April, 1910. (Sd.) J. Y. V. VERNON. (Sd.) F. SMYTH. [290

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HONGKONG, TUESDAY, APRIL 19, 1910.

RUBBER.

Whilst all the world is talking rubber, it is rather hard to refrain from taking part in the all-absorbing conversation. In every paper from the South that one takes up rubber occupies the foremost place. Hongkong itself, although we do not have here a rubber-growing area, we have the rubber fever and at the present time there is Excise Officer Hoggarth raised a point with little cise on the inquiry list in the local regard to the meaning of the word Exchange. The Perak Pioneer reports equivalent." rid of their tin shares to invest in rubber. the C.P.R. Co. is this morning in receipt of a 2, L. Rabat; 3, F. C. Holmes." From the Straits Times we take the following wireless missage from the R.M.S. Empress of cutting:-At the meeting of the Selangor India (which left Vancouver on the evening of Championship Event-For boys under 17 years, further arrests, shortly to follow, will under the Chamber of Commerce Mr. W. F. Nutt, the 7th inst.) to the effect that all was well on of age. To be won three years in succession, systematic conspiracy of subordinate employes, then spin their cocoons. In another week the the chair, spoke on the present prosperity, reach Yokohama at 6 pm. on the sist inst. the custody of the school. Handicap will be signments of the contraband drug to local material is made by spinning the threads from and warned the members against the flotation of rubber companies with such capital as would spell ruin when the THE three Chinese who were charged at the .anberg; 3, Carmen Osmund; 3, Kathleen of his alleged yielding to the temptation of price of rubber falls. He predicted declared that native house property had appreciated, and said that money was plentiful. Here is another enlightening item for the rubber investor:- In the past five years the dividends 220 per cent. It is facts like Gardiner, appeared for the defence. these that excite the gambling spirit. But. says a Straits paper, have the public the least idea of the market capitalisation of the companies before the public? They need market values at over £2,500,000. On its full acreage, therefore, this means, say, some £700 an acre. The great success of some of the earlier companies was largely due to the small capital. But Selangor. with its little £30,000 capital, finds it multiplied nearly thirty-five times, and so becomes worth mearly a million on market capitalisation. Malacca Plantations has a share capital valued by the market at some Police. £4,500,000, to say nothing of debentures. Vallambrosa reaches, almost's million and a half on market capitalization-again a splendid company with a modest initial capitalieation. Highlands and Lowlands bas a market capitalisation of over & 2,000,000. We pick out merely a few lostances at random. The publishes work out the facts

for themselves. Companies with market capitalisation of from a quarter to half a million are as plentiful as may be. The total capitalisation of the active market shares has reached a prodigious figure. And while there is all this tall talk of raising prices of raw rubber, and the undimmed optimism prevailing, it is not easy to say when it will end. Another view is expressed in the following lines, culled from one of our Southern contemporaries:-Rubber shares continue to boom with increasing vigour, and sensational advances are of almost daily occurrence. There is no doubt whatever that the Stock Exchange has never had a boom which has been based on more real merit than the present one in rubber shares; but as the market gets wilder and more excited the public gets less cautious, whereas it should be doubly on the alert. It is pretty certain that many of the recent flotations would Bishop Lander; The Right Rev. Bishop never have seen the light had the promoters Pozzoni; The Hon, Sir Francis. H. May, not been fully aware of the blindness of the R.C.M.O.; The Venerable E. J. Barnett, on foot, gambling public flushed with continuous successes. We think that the market looks like advancing still further, but, of course, on top of so big a rise, and with no certainty about the price of rubber, purchases must be considered at least a little" risky, On the whole there is little to disturb the equanimity of the rubber investor as regards the present state of the market but a word of advice is not out of place to the effect that many of the rubber-planting projects being put forward just now are wild-cat

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

schemes, tramed to mislead and beguile a

public that is only too ready to be gulled.

THE English Mail of the 19th March has been delivered in London.

TURKEY has refused Germany's offer to represent her provisionally in China.

THE Governor will be "At Home" on Friday, the 29th inst., at o p.m.

MR. R. Walter, Secretary to the Weibaiwei Government, is at present in Shanghai on a

THE group formed in the House of Commons to watch British commercial interests in China

is asking questioss in Parliament ,daily. MR. Kennedy, who formerly represented the Associated Press in Japan, has been appointed

to represent that organization in Paking, where be replaces Mr. F. McCormick, who has returned to America. WE have received from Messrs, Gibb, Livingston

and Co. a copy of the annual report of the pionship Event, for boys under 17 years of age. Wei-hai-wei Land and Building Co., Ld., which has already been noticed in these Goldenberg.

Ile fongkong Celegraph Jesselton has not a single house or room vacant, and on the arrival of Chinese and vacant, and on the arrival of Chinese and natives there is no place for them.to go.. The Land Office is taking the matter in hand and Hass. have issued polices to all owners of land not built on, to do so immediately, or else the land will revert to Government. This is as i should be.

> THE Chinaman who was charged before Mi R. Wood the other day with keeping an opium divan at Hunghom and nine others for smoking opium therein, were this me ning discharged by the Magistrate. It will be remembered that, at the original hearing. Chief

board, and that the commander expected to to become the prope ty of the boy. Cup kept in The steamer was 1,000 mil distant from given on course. 1, T. L. Knight (Diotesan Chinese.

a Criminal Sessions yesterday with the alleged Gourdin. further increase in the output of tin, manslaughter of a boat-coolie at Yau-ma-ti. some time ago were this forenoon discharged by the Chief Justice on a unanimous verdict of not guilty being returne . Mr. C. G. Alabaster, instructed by Mr. H. L. Dennys, Jr., from the Crown Solicitor's office, prosecuted Sandycroft Rubber Co. Ltd. has paid in and Mr. Eldon Potter, instructed by Mr. J. H.

Two men appeared before Mr. E. R. Hallifax at the Magistracy this mording for having 8 mace of prepared opium and 2 taels of opium dross; respectively, at No. 8, Possession Street, only glance at any list of rubber share prices and also a quantity of printing dies and labels for themselves. Do they realise, for in- representing the Opium Farmer's trade descripstance, that numerous leading companies tions. A fine of \$24 was imposed in respect are capitalised in market values at millions of the first count while on the second charge sterling apiece? The great Anglo-Malay a term of four months' imprisonment was Company, for instance, is capitalised in mated out to each of the men without the option of a fine.

AMATEUR BILLIARD CHAMPION

. THE PINAL,

The final of the above championship took place last night at the V.R.C. Gymnasium in the presence of a small attendance. The match was between Sapper Heigh of the Royal Engineers and Sergeant Pitt of the Hongkong

The game was pretty even in the early stage with Pitt leading felightly, 253 25v. Heigh missed many easy shots, and this enabled Pitt to make good breaks. When Pitt reached soo Heigh was 191. Pitt kept on incressing his lead till the foish and the final score was-

Pitti ones and the Property of the Troop Helgh 707 Pitt's best breaks were: 22, 20, 27, 18, 32, 35 3, 17, 20, 21 had 27, Haigh's weret 17, 21, 17,

HONGKONG SCHOOLS ATHLETIC SPORTS.

FINAL HEATS. The final heats in the Hongkong Schools Athletic Sports were run off yesterday. The schools in the Colony taking part were !--Queen's College, Diocesan School, Salyingpun School, Wantsai School, Yaumati School, St Joseph's College, St. Stephen's College, Ellis Kadoorie, Victoria British, Belilios Public Victoria Auglo-Portuguese and Anglo-Indian Schools. The weather was glorious if some what warm. The gathering of spectators and school children was a very large one. All th events were keenly contested, and the working committee, who worked so hard to make the sports a success, are to be congratulated for the admirable arrangements which were carried

out to so much general satisfaction. Patrons :-- H. E. Sir Frederick Lugard. K.C.M.C., C.B.; H. E. Major General R. Broadwood, CB, DSO; The Right Rev. Archdescon of dongkong; The Hon, Sir C. P. Mody; J. J. Leiria, Esq., Consul for Portugal. Clerks of the Course :- Messrs. A. R.

Sutherland, A. Viveash and S. R. Moore. Startors; -- Messrs, H. Sykes, H. Maunderson and R. C. Barlow.

A. O. Brawn and G. A. Hancock. Handicappers :- Messrs. H. Sykes and R. C.

Official Time-keepers:-Messrs. A. W. Grant, Yung Hee and P. Currie.

Results of events were as follows:-Long Jump (Boys under 17). Championship Event-1, G. Witte; z, A. Karrim; 3, E. Castro. 100 Yards (Handicap)-For boys over 10 and under 14 years of age. 1, E. Castro; 2, Wong

Shan Nin; 3, Li Kam Young. 100 Yards Flat Race (Handicap). Championship Rvent-For boys under 17 years of age. 1, I. Hass; 2, 3, Karcim; 3, A. Hall. 120 Yard Flat Race (Handicap)-For boys.

under to years of age. :, A. Osmund; 2, F. Loureiro; 3, Leung Ho Yen. 440 Yards Flat Race (Handicap). Chinese

boys. - Open to all ages. z, Tsim Kiu Fai ; 2, Woog Chan Nin; 3, Hoog Pak Lung. One Mile Bicycle Race-Open to all ages. 1. Chun U. Pui; 2, Wong Shan Nin; 3, Carlos

High Jump, for boys over 15 and under 18 years of age. Championship Event. 1. W. Hall : 2, Tam Tzo.

220 Yards. Fist Race (Handicap) - Open to all ages, 1, I Hass; 2, A. Karrim; 3 A. K. 120 Yards Hurdle Race (Handicap). Cham-

I. R. Anderson; 2, Ma Sheung Ting, 3 A. thoroughly probed and sensational develop-

under 14 years of age. Wong Shau Nin 2 ; police station until late yesterday afternoon; ip Kwan : 3. J. Wong.

(Championship Event). 1, Tsui Kin Jei; 2, I. and De Witt. 100 Yards Flat Race (Handicap)-For girls

under to years of age. I. Emily Barros; 2 Lily Cuiwio.

Mabel Lesbirel; 3, Kate Gourdin. Event. Challenge Cup. Open to all sges. Ellis Kadoorie Challenge Cup to be won 3 years. in succession to become the property of any boy.

Sumre; 3, F. C. Holmes, Throwing the Cricket Ball-Championship

The Cap o be kept in the custody of School.

Japan when the above message was received. School); z. B. A. Parker; 3. L. Rabat,

under 7 years of age. 1, L. Rozuin; 2, G. Sternberg, 3. C. Silva.

14 years and over, 11, Kwok Shiu Yan; 2 on Calle Nutva, near Sacristia. Nothing for-Kwong Shiu Cheung: 3, Hung Pak Leuog.

Beven Furlong Flat Race (Handicap)-Open to past pupils. 1, H. Patterson; 2, H.M. Chinese with the big smuggling scheme. Marker; 3, F. Schnapel.

. 100 Yards-Three-legged Race. Open to all pared by Chief Wilson and will probably be ages, Handicap will be given on course; to Ho Wing-Kiu and Chan Tsun-Nin; 2, N. L. Railton and M. L. Railton.

Sack Race - Open to all ages 1, C. Butter- division of the Manila customs house, field; 2, D, Brown; 3, A. Goldenberg.

only, A. E. Moybing; 2, G. Les. Quarter Mila-Open to Army, Navy and Police (Europeau) 1, Lca.-Corpl. Andrews; 2, Pir. Tester.

At the conclusion of the sports Mr. E. A. Irving, Director of Education, presented the prizes to the successful competitors. The daual cheers were given for Mr. Irving.

SALE OF THE "SHBONG PO. LEADING CHIMNER MEWSPAPER

PRICHES Sto,coo.

At Messrs, Hughes and Hough's this morning, one of the leading Chioese newspapers of the Colony known as the Sheung Po, firmerly of the Hongkong "Shaupg Po" Company, Limited, the opium law has been going on for some was put up for sale by public suction. There | time. was a large number of interested partics present and bidding was very keen. The bidding commenced at \$2,000 and went up by spirited rises to Sto, cool at which price the newspaper was themply on the merry of the Court | The total of the damage sails backed down to Mr. Fang Tat Shame

BIG OPION HAUL.

P. QO,OCO WORTH SELEED AT MANILA.

Enough opium to put to sleep the entire Chinese colony of Manile, was seized by custom house secret service agents on Monday evening, reports the Cablenses-American o 13th inst. Four large boxes, containing savera hundred tins of prepared opium, were discover ed in one of the customs bodeg is, the loca value of the stuff being estimated to be between Pas,cop and Poo,coo. It is the largest capture of the contraband drug made in Manila since the passage of the anti-opium act. Ambrosic Tim Tico, a local Chinese, is under arrest pending the filing of criminal charges against

A serious and sensational feature of the case is the fact, developed in the investigation, that a number of Filipino customs employes are implicated in the attempt of giving aid in smuggling the oplum through the bodegs and delivering it to Tim Tico and his associates: A rigid investigation into the nature and extent of the defection of these employes is now

Acting upon information received, to the Chater, Kt. K M G.; Sir H. S. Berkeley, K.C.I. effect that a large consignment of dope had Commodore H. Lyon, R.N.; E.A leving, Esq.; arrived on the steamer Taming, from Hong-Lieut.-Colonel Chapman, v.D.; Sir H. N. kong, and was awaiting delivery to its importers in one of the bodeges, a number of customs secret service agents repaired to the warehouse late on Monday night and at once proceeded to open the four boxes suspected to contain the drug, and which, it afterwards Judges :- Rev. Bro. Felix, Messrs. A. Morris, developed, were addressed to a fictitious consignee. The cans containing the opium were found to be covered by a thick layer of sacking. The apparent scheme of landing the ppium was to clear the boxes containing the drug in place of four other boxes of the same size and shape, containing merchandise, leaving the latter unclaimed in the warehouse. The trick was tried several months ago, but falled to work owing to the timely interference of a Filipino wharf inspector who foiled the scheme about to be consummated through the connivance of a native bodega employe. In the present case, there is said to exist similar evidence of collusion on the part of more than one subordinate customs employe but the identity of the guilty parties has not as yet

been disclosed. The intelligent afforts of the entire staff of the custom house secret service, were rewarded at ten o'clock yesterday morning, when Ambrosio. Tim Tico, the custom bouse representative of a large and inflyential Chinese commercial firm, was located and taken into custody.

There are other Chinese suspected of working in conjonction with Tim Tico and more arrests will probably follow to-day. Nothing definite could be learned yesterday as to the rumquied implication of Tim Tico's employers in the big coup that failed, but it is understood on good anthority that the matter is being ments may be looted for at any time.

120 Yards Flat Race-For Chinese boys, Ambrosio Tim Tico was held at the Meisic when he was released on Ya,500 cash bail. He High Jump-For hoys under 15 years of age will be represented in court by Messes. O'Brien

Lamberto Ver, storekceper, and Estanislao Ortige, arrestre policemen, of the Manila custom house, are in the toils, as a result of the 100 Yards Flat Race (Handicap), for girls l'investigation conducted by the Customs secret to years of age and over. 11, Nini silva; 2, service into the complicity of customs employes in the attempt to smuggle through the Quarter Mile (Handicap). Championship warehouse 300 kilos of prepared opinim. Up to a late hour last night, the two men were held in detention by the chief of the customs to-day, on the serious charges of violating the 1, A. R. Sammy (Queen's College); >. W. opium law, the abuse of authority constituting an aggravating element of their crime.

that many people in Ipoh are getting WE are advised that the Yokohama office of Event. Open to all ages. 1, Khushab Khan i, the four boxes of opium to Ambrosio Tim Tico some sixty eggs, each about ten times as large for a consideration of P500. The investigation Half Mile (Civil Service Challenge Cup) continues unrelaxed and it is intimated that extending over a long period, to deliver con- silk is gathered again. At Frachuan a coarse

Skipping Rece-Girls only. I, Alice Dan- customs since April 1902 and up to the time Glebe. Chinese boodle, bote a good character. Ortega, to Yards Flat Race-Open to all comers the arrastre policeman, entered the customs service but recently.

The offices and warehouses of the Chinese 300 Yards Flat Race. Obinese boys under firm employing Ambrosio Tim Tico are located ther has thus far developed in the efforts of the customs secret service staff to connect other Agapito Uy Tongco, Sy Qui and Dy Toco

An official report of the seizure is being presubmitted to Deputy Collector Stapley to-day

Gregorio Larion, a checker in the arrastre landed in the drag net of the customs secret Two Mile Bicycle Race-Open to past pupils | service, as a result of the investigation following the discovery of the plot to smuggle through the bodogs P 90,000 worth of oplum. He was taken into custody at seven o'clock yesterday morning. This makes the third arrest of custom house employes following the expo. | three Chinese who were released from Bilibid sore of the smuggling scheme.

The offence of Larion, it is stated, has no connection with the present case but was committed. he made an attempt to pass over to several Mavila Chinese a box containing opinm imported from Hongkong and concealed in one of the bodegas. Larion's arrest it is said of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce. proves the correctness of the customs authorities' suspicions, held from the beginning of the investigation that systematic plotting to defeat

The same state in the same sta

a y on a man and has been with the customs

since July 10, 1903. Criminal charges against Lumberto Ver Estantaiao Ortiga and Gregorio Larion are in preparation and will be filed in the court of first instance this mornior.

The proposition originated with the customs authorities and has been the subject of lengthy insular colla tor of customs, the collector inter nal revenue and the governor-general. The latter has just given, his sanction to the plan the agents for the various posts have been designated and are about to depart for their

respective stations. Arthur F. Yambert, formerly assistant chief of the customs secret service and recently reinstated by Colonel McCoy, goes to Zimboauga. Charles Schreiner, up to a year ago a ceptain

id the Philippines Constabulary, has been assigned to duty at Cabu. Iames A. Hampton, of the bead-quarters secret service staff, is to be stationed at Iloilo.

The egent for Jolo has not yet been named, The special agents will be under the joint jurisdiction of the insular customs and the bureau of the internal revenue, and it has been agreed that prosecutions of violators of the law shall be had under the opium act, instead of

under the provisions of the customs regulations. The agents' salaries, ranging between P2,400 and P3,600 per annum, are to be paid out the special opium fund.

A LAIK JUKOR.

RRHOKED BY THE CHIEF JUSTICE.

When the proceedings resumed at the Supreme Court this morning in connection with the Yau-ma-ti manslaughter case, it was found that Mr. J. Hyde, ore of the jurous in the case, was absent. After Judge, Bar and jury had been kept waiting for about ten minutes, the gentleman in question appeared in the Court-room.

The Registrar-Mr. Hyde, you've kept the Court waiting for ten minutes. Can you explain why you are late?

The juror-I missed the ferry. The Chief Justice-What?

The Registrar-My Lord, he says he missed

his connection at Kowloop. The Chief Justice-That's no excuse. Didn't you know you had to attend here at ten o'clock The juror-Yes, but I missed the launch.

The Chief Justice-Strictly speaking, should impose a fice on you, but I don't propose to do that. I want you to understand that: n future you should appear in time. Your duty as a juror is the same as that of other pao ple. If the Court says ten o'clock, it means ten

The jutor-Very well, my Lord, CHINESE WILL SILK.

combed salk from the trees. And while the faith in God. They believed that it was His. ordinary silk is prepared from silkworms fed will, and they submitted not in a spirit of artificially on mulberry leaves, there is also a sullen surrender, but in calm resignation, "wild silk", obtained from a dwarf oak tree. feeling sure that God was working out things A description of this "wild silk" is given, in a lin his own time, and that "all things work. recent number of Cosmos. Under the curious together for good to them that love God." name of "water cal" a certain amount of this . The choir than sang the anthem "Blest are is sent to the silk, manufacturing centres, of the Departed" (Spohi) and the hymn " Now Lyons and Avignon. Some is also sent to the labourer's task is o'er." The organ was America to be used in making the stuff known presided over by Mr. 1. W. White who as "radjab." Owing to its great toughness terminated the service by playing the "Dead this "wild silk" is also used in making the March" in Saul. coverings for balloons. The silk is made from a very common variety of the oak silkworm. which feeds on the leaves of a dwasf wild oak. This tree grows in the hilly districts of the Ho-

Nan, Szechuan and Kweichou, The cocoons are gathered from the these and hung up in long festoos in a place shaltered secret service. They will be arraigned in court from the sun. These are then brought into room heated by a stove where they are kept for about twenty days. At the end of this time the moths emerge and are allowed to lay their Vir and Ortoga, it is stated, agreed to deliver | eggs in palm-leaf baskets. Each female, lays as that of the mulberry silkworm. When the worms are batched they are taken to the oak woods. They feed there for two months, and Lamberto Ver has been in the employ of the Kweichou by taking eight threads.-Loadon,

> MANILA DEPORTATION CASE. CHINASE RELEASED.

At 12.30 p.m. yesterday, reports the Manila the department has ordered all witnesses to go Times of tath inst, the three remaining retuined Chinese who were 'llegally deported' last August, were released from Bilibid Prison. under bond of £500 each These men are and they were released by his honour Judge friends. Crossfield, of the court of first instance, on motion of Mr. O'Brien and De Witt, at torneys for the Chinese, who told the court that although Colonel McCoy, the insular collector, has asked that the papers in these three cases be sent to him at Baguio, it wou'd again by reached, and for that reason asked genuine before leaving may on their return be a couple of weeks before the cases would the court to release his clients under bond. from China land directly from the steamer. After listening to the arguments of Mr. Ferrier, Heretofore they have first been taken to the representing the bureau of customs, Judge station. Crossfield issued the necessary order and the three Chineso y co released yesterday alternoon about three o'clock.

Sy Qui, Agapito Ny Tong and Dy Toco, the prison on Wednesday afternoon under bond, yesterday filed, through their attorneys O'Brien and DeWitt, snits for damages against Governor General W. Cami ron Forbis, Chief | course, some time preceding Monday's seizure, when of the Secret Service C. R. Trowbridge, chief of Two government steamers, afford seven Police J. E. Harding, the Chinese Chamber of Commerce, And Son Co. Seng Benito Sy Cong Bing and Rusebio By Sip, the of witnesses, latter three named Chinese being officials

Rech plaintiff ask for damages in the sum of Poo.000, alleging that the defendants conspired to deprive them illegally of their liberty and caused them to be illegally shipped against their will on the steamer Linesians to Amoy thereby causing them much inconvenience, ab-It is understood on good auth lity that the sence from their homes and business for nearly three mon now in custody have made a fall shouths whereby they suffered great conjection of their guilt and that they will the conjection of their guilt and that they will

THE GERMAN MAIL. DELIYED BY FOG.

Mesers. Melchers & Co. advise us that they have received a telegram from Shanghai to the effect that the Imperial German Mail s.s. Pries Ludwig has unfortunately been detained by discussion and correspondence, between the log at Wusneg. She can therefore not be expected here before to-morrow at noon and the departure from Hongkong has been postpoued until Thursday, the 21st April, at 10 a.m.

CONSULGENERAL RUBLES.

MEMORIAL SERVICE.

Yesterday afternoon a funeral service; was held in St. John's Cathedral in memory of the into Hon, W. A. Rubles, Consul-General in Hongkong for the United States of America. Needless to say, there was a very large attendance, showing the esteem in which Mr. Rublen was held in the Colony. Among those present were His Excellency the Governor, Sir F. Lugard, Captain Mitchell Taylor, A. D. C., Captato N. Simson, Private Secretary to the Governor, Commodore Lyon, Sir Henry and Lady May, His Honour Mr. W. Ross Davies, His Honous Mr. Justice Competiz, the Hon, Mr. F. A. Hazeland, Col. St. John, Col. Bedford, Lieut. Col. Bayard, Mr. Stuart Fuller, Hon, Com. Basil Taylor, R. N., Hon, Mr. W. Chatham, C.M.G. Hop. Mr. F. J. Badeley, Mr. H. L. Dennys, Hon. Mr. Murray Stewart, and Hon. Mr. A. W. Brewin: There was also a full atten ance of the Consular Body,

The service, which was most impressive, was conducted by Bishop Lander, Bishop Bannister. and Archdeacon Barnett. In the course of his address, Bishop Lander said that the service in which they were engaged was in the first place a mark of respect to a conscientious man, Those who knew best the late Consul-General of the United States of America told him that the outstanding "characteristic of his life was his conscientions devotion to duty, and none of them could have anything better haid of them after their departure. In the second place it was an expression of sympathy with the bereaved family, and he was sure that every heart. was touched with that sympathy, and many an expost prayer would be offered, in the third place the service was an indication of cordislity between the representatives of the various nations. Nearly all the nations of the world were represented there in the Cathedral and he was sure that every representative felt it his daty that he should be there to mark their cordiality with the representative of the United States. The occasion would not be lost if it despende that feeling of international cordiality. Lastly, for the mejority of those present-and he According to Virgit the ancient Chinese hoped for all-that service deepened their

CHINESE IN SAN FRANCISCO.

EXAMINATION AT P.M.S.S. CO'S SREDS.

The. Chinese won a barron victory in their fight against the immigration authorities when Commissioner Hart North received orders yesterday from the department of commerce and labour requiring all white witnesses to appear for examination at Angel island instead of at the office in the Appraisers' building, says the S. F. Carl of 19:h ult.

When the change was made to the new Angel island station influential Chinese and their white attorneys demanded a return to the old Pacific Mail company's sheds. Later their protest was simed against North's system of taking testimony, North established an office in the Appraisers building for the convenience only of white, witnesses, and the Chines threatened a boycott of American goods upless their countrymen were given an equal

privilege. To do away, with the alleged discrimination to the island. The result is that the white wilnesses who learned of the new rule at the Appraisor's building, said yesterday that they would accommodate no more of their Chinese

The department, however, makes the landing of Chinesa of the upper merchant and student class, who compose about a per cent of the Chipese immigrants, somewhat rasier. Those whose cases have been lovestigated and found

Primary inspection is also extended not only to the first cabin passengers, as heretofore, but to the steerage. The same courtesy is given solurning Japanese as beretolore. But when the Chinese have wives or families with them or have no papers they must undergo the usual

round trips to the lilend daily for the banes

Dr. Victor G. Heiser, director of health at Manila has issued orders for the distribution of a coopeo doses of quining throughout the malaria districts of the archipelego. De, figiger has given directions that the goings the entrusted to municipal officials school leachers and missionaries to be allotted to lever stricken. people at their discretion. By this plan the instaler bealth authorities bose to care malerie

POTTERY AND PORTRY AT THE WHIZE CITY.

Really to know Japanese poetry is to know the people of Japan, and, as we shall probably never quite fathom the depths of the Japanese character, we shalt scarcely reach the inner meaning of the pottery. If we but touch the fringe we shall have done something.

The Satsuma vases, the kore with the kylin top, and the Imari plate that the average Western collector treasures are buly Japanese in so far as they came from Japan. Olever potiers made-and, perchance, made them well-to suit 'Western taste. They knew wel enough what we would like-a splash of colour, a crowded decoration, and lots of gilding. These are not the previous things he and his ancestors bave been treasuring for centuries wrapped in pieces of soft silk, enclosed in brocaded bags and stowed away in padded boxes, to be brought out, one at a time, at social reunions and passed from hand to hand to be admired with bated breath for the ten thousandth time.

With the Jap mese poetry and pattery go band in hand. The potter is nearly alw iys a post, and puts his soul into his handiwork. Perhaps one of the greatest charms of Japanese postery is the personal note as against 'the impersonal charactor of Chinese Keramic art. "A Chinese vase will rarely bear any mark of ident figation beyoud the teign in which it was made, or perchance, some symbol-denoting the quality of the porcelain or the purpose for which the vessel was intended. But a delicate piece of Arits eggshell will tell us it was made by Sampo at the Zusting Hall, or by Shingpo in H.zan. A Nabeshima saucered sh, with comb-teeth (4) Kushide "1 decoration round the buttom rim -therefore destined for Imperial use-will be made at Oho-kawaji-yama (" Great mountain between the rivers ") whilst other wares hail from kilos si uated at " Long Plateau," "South Bank," or "On er End."

When Gorodayin Shonsul of Ise went to China in 1513 to learn the mysteries of porcelain-making, he sent bome a human document - an experimental piece of porcelain inscribed 4 chonsui is safe." This was probably the beginning of porcelain-making in Japan.

With the Japanese their porcelain is an attempt; their pottery is native; and thus it is the pattery of Japan which will appeal most to the collector. With his translucent wares one gen-'erally feels that the Japanese is copying his near to the original, he will it scribe it with the Sigun-Ti mark of the dynasty, or the signs of the "five blessings" so of an found on the prototypes. He is rarely quite happy when copying. But give him a free hand, and, with a few strokes of his brush, he will present you with a whole chapter of folklore, or wish you long life and good luck in five or more different ways within the circumference of a six-inch sauce-plate. He paints in a crape 'not only because, in flight or at lest, it is a thing of infinite grace, but because it signifies long life. No Japanesé ever painted a dead crane, for that would be an .. nomaly. The hairy-taited tortoise in the foreground, the bamboo in the middle distance, and the sacred mountain Fuji Yama in the background -all have the same meaning-the always tobe desired long life. On the under edge he will put a conventional border of bats or the fruit of the egg-plant for good luck.

With the Japanese it is lucky to dream of one of three things—the egg-plant, the falcon, or Fuji Yama. One sighs at a missed opportunity of acquiring a pottery kettle of which ever, was coming forward, and, not recovering, the conical body represented the mountain, he fell face forward within two feet of where I the spout being in the form of the fruit, whilst stood. the falcon preped out from its eyric on the kettle-mountain side. There was a mountain of good luck for one to go to bed and dream of l

With the acquisition of a few pieces of real | blow during the contest." "old Japan" comes the Japanese, habit of secretiveness. With one collector it came with | behave more fairly or honorably to each other an old Satsuma plate by Kaki-moto. He cannot be very well known bere in England; as bone of the handbooks mertions him; but he knew how to paint persimmon fruits, flowers, wooden box, to bring it out occasionally and helplessly, being counted out. feel the soft surface of the shallow face. It has the appearance and unctuous touch of a piece of ivory yellowed with age. Its owner likes to. or a draw. muse on the quie: decoration-a simple flowerstudy consisting of a spray of chrysauthemums and a tose is a square vase; in the bickground a litter of flowers and a pair of scissors. It is all so simple and so intimate ! . Imaging the reunion of riends-yourself and your host." He has given you a beap of blossoms, the best wase, and the shears, begging you to do him the inficite honour of arranging the flower study. You, in turn. have "protested your entire unworthiness" to meddle with such sacred things. He bas left the room, and aron returns to combat with his praise yourself-avowed failure. With many bows, the pretty compliments fly backwards and forwards like a charming game shuttlecock, and it all makes for the gainty of mations.

Much of the "Satsuma," to-called, in English | strength left. collections is really Awata ware from the prosei styles. Happy the man who owns a piece | touched. of real old Nin-sei-a sombre water-vestel or a vivid green-and-red incenso-burner, made by the founder of the fabrique, Nonomura-nin-sei, ion, death was due to heart failure caused by prior to 1700.

A plece of early Kin-Kozan Kioto Satsuma is not to be despised, especially when it takes the form of a sectional coke-box, or a tea-caniater made at least twenty or thirty years ago, before the Kuropean-demand for highly-docorated "Satsuma" set in. The Kin-Kozan factory can still turn out the finest work in true Japanese ! simple fall.

styla; but we must ask for it, and pay the price. Melsan the yourger is a worthy successor to: and refuses to paint more than a few pieces. each year, every piece being an absolute gem, evidently been in a fit state for the contest. We must needs rise to his level, for he will not A verdict of "Accidental Death " was replak to our lasts in art. A spray of red maple turbed.

by Meisan or is it a real branch just blown by the summer breeze on to the pale lvory suffice of the vase? -may be counted to rank almost as high as one of the "five blassings" either this or a tiny koto or spill, with a dezen or so of the forty-seven Konin, in full suits of armour, the figures less than an Inch long; but every feature-ney, almost every hair perfect in detail. We can hardly expect that Moissn's very best work has been acquired by Europeans; but we shall surely see some of it under lock and key at the White City."

We have it from Count Mutsu's own lips that "the exhibits will include a number of precious examples certified as the Treasures of the Nation.' He tells us that even in Jupan such treasures are never put on public show. Occasionally a piece or two may be shown to those who are quite capable of appreciating them, As an especial favour to their good friends the British, the authorities have consented with great reluctance and infinite grace) to part with their artistic treasures for a season on the distisct understanding that never again shall they he asked to " commit such a sacri'ege."

Thus we may hope to see a representative collection of Yei-raku ware from the earthen braziers, known; as Do Bato, of the first xeneration down to the Kinranti (brocade) porcelain of Zengoro Yei-raku Riyezen-tenth of his line-from " The Branch Factory of the River" or the sake cups of the thirteenth In the matter of the Chinchow-Aigun railway, Zengoro, Yei-raku Tokuzeo. We may hope also to see some of the early works of Kakiye- pressed to take an active part, they are unable mon, the artist who did most to inspire the to do so, as they are bound to pay some European potters of the mid-eighteenth century. Passibly we shall re-discover some of the lost models of the Bow and Chelica" Old lanan." But shall we see any of the precious ten utensils which Rikiu, the last of the great teamasters, distributed amongst his friends as, tion. in tears, they left him one by one? The tea bowl we shall never see, for that sacred vessel he broke into many pieces before he launched his soul into the great unknown.

Japan will show us of her best. We shall see the "clay population round in rows" and we shall see-what we shall see,-A. E. Reveirs Hopkins in Pall Mall Gazette,

THE BOXING TRACEDY.

REFERER'S GRAPHIC STORY OF THE FATAL FIGHT.

Robert Patrick Wilson, journalist, of Flod-Chinese teacher. He feels it himself, and as den-rd. Camberwell, who acted as referee in often as not, when he has preduced something the fatal boxing match at Wonderland between "Curly" Watson, at one time champion boxer in the navy, and Frank Inglis, the negro, told a graphic story of how Watson lost his life, at the resumed inquest.

' He said the contest was one of ten two. minute rounds with one minute rests. other respects the Queensberry rules were adbered to.

Watson had practically won when a blow. was struck-he could not say quite where, but it seemed to be somewhere about the face. Watson fell, but immediately rose again and rushed at his adversary.

"I CAN SEE HIM ROW."

They clinched, and, breaking away, Watson apparently slipped quietly to the ground. He was down four or five seconds.

"When he got up," witress added, "the man had turned round so that Watson was immediately facing me. I can see him now. He came forward again, and I saw Inglis lead off

with a very feeble effort. "It only just seached Watson's throat, being more of a push than a blow. Watson, how-

"I distinctly saw his chin strike the ground. I think that was the cause of his unconsciousness. I do not think he received any serious

Witness had never in 40 years seen men

in the ring. Dover-st., who acted as second to Walson, said he advised deceased to force the pace, and he and almond-ayed ladies. The owner likes to did so. At the close, inglis caught Watson a keep this old plate stowed away in a native slight blow on the throat, and he fell forward

It was stated that luglis was to receive £10. including expanses, and Watson £7, win, lose,

INGLIS GIVIS EVIDENCE. loglis, aker being cautioned by the coroner gave evidence. He said be was a pugilist, and resided at Kitchener-st , Birmingham, He was a native of St. Lucis, West Indies, and was 27. .. He met Watson nine months ago in a sixround contest at the Arena, Birmingham, and Watson won on points. In November they had a 30-round contest at the Scottish National Athletic Club, Glasgow,

Deceased fainted at the beginning of the first round, at d, becoming unwell, stayed at the club all night. He was all right next morning. round witness struck deceased, he thought, on | would exceed supply. the body: Watson fell, and, on rising again, i " How can the independent concerns work" they clinched. The second time deceased fell

without being struck. Witness bad not much On the last occasion witness was in the atvince of Kioto, made in the Satsuma and Nin- | titude of striking, but Watson fell without being

> DOCTOR AND CAUSE OF DEATH. concussion of the brain due to the diffusion of blood from a l. cerated artery,

The Coloner: What would lacerate the artery?-An injury to the head.

... Could the blow which produced the bruise on-the eye have been responsible for the laceration?-Yes. It might be caused by a

The blow on the chin might have done it. | against the Standard's products. The increase Witness could not say which of the alterhis father, the prince of Kinto falence decorators, patives was the actual cause. The deceased bore no signs of severe punishment. He bad

THE PAR BAST IN PARLIAMENT. CHINESE PORK.

In the Heuse of Commons on March 21, Mr. Fell asked whether the attention of the Government had been called to the promise made by the authorities in the Isle of Man that the Chinese pork which was being cured into bacon there, after being rejected at the post of London and Liverpool, should not be offered for consumption in that island, bu should be exported at once. Would Government see that it was not landed England?

Mr. Burns (President of the Local Government Board) said he had no information beyond what had appeared in the press. H would refer the hon, member to suswer already given on this subject. .. The Local Government Board had no jurisdiction over the lale of Map, but he would do his best to ascertain the facts.

RAILWAYS IN THE FAR BAST. (23rd.) Lord Balcarres, on behalf of Sir W Bull, asked the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs whether the Government's policy the Far East would be modified in such s manuer as to not run counter to British and American commercial interests.

Sir E. Grey: The questions of the hon member are based upon a misapprehension, in which His Majesty's Government have been regard to the provisions of the Augle-Russian Agreement of 1899, which has never formally been abrogated. To interpret this attitude on their part as running counter to British and American interests is an entire misrepresenta-

Lord Balcames, on behalf of Sir W. Bull asked the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs whether the American Government had requested the support of His Majesty's Government for the Chinchow-Aigun scheme : and if so, what reply had been given to the American Government .

Sir E. Grey: The answer to the first part of the question is in the affirmative. The attitude of his Majesty's Government towards the railway scheme has already been defined in my previous answer, and the United States Government have been kept fully informed of their views and of the view of the Anglo-Russian Agreement of 1899, upon which they are

Lord Balcarres, on behalf of Sir W. Bull asked the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs whether he had received any information concerning the reported agreement between Russia and Japan regarding Manchuris and Mongolia; and whether His Majesty's Government would define the right of those two Powers to interfere in the railway developments China wished to make in those regions by the agreements she had signed with American and British groups.

Sir E. Grey: The answer to the first part of the question is in the negative. The hon, member has already been informed that it is not for His Majesty's Government to admit," deny, or define the rights and interests of other Powers in the matter; and I must remind him here. of the agreement already referred to in pre-VIOUS ADSWORS.

OIL "BOOM" AND ITS BASIS.

: SPECIAL INTERVIEW.

Mr. J. D. Heary, the editor of the Petroleum World, is of opinion that there are great in the Hawaiian islands is ended, which should developments, shead in the matter of the bein about two weeks, the field superintendworld's oilfields, especially in British territories. I onto of the interests will be hurried into this In Burmah, Trinidad, Newfoundland, Egypt, among other countries, he looks for a first crop, great impetus. Mr. Henry to-day gave our representative his impressions of the oil "boom" and its basis,

"We are certainly in for great times, in the oil world during the next year or two, E. ward Arundel, a market porter, of Great and oil should certainly outstrip rubber. am glad to say that the basis of the" boom is good, for the industry is in a healthy condition. We shall, of course, have rotten companies, as well as good ones, finated on the strength of the "boom," but that is always the way. There are now about a score of concerns in process of incubation."

"The demand? Well, it is undoubtedly increasing rapidly. Oil fuel for the Navy is certainly a matter of great importance, and I hapnen to know that Navy men are delighted with it: The tendency will be for battleships to get larger year by year, and as the size increases so will the superiority of oil fuel to coal be more thoroughly recognised. The demand for general purposes, too, is on the increase.

"Will the great increase in the number of oil companies, and, therefore, the large supplies, not tend to depress prices? No, I should certainly say not. The oil industry is one of the few in which there are no surplus supplies. Watson was leading on points. In the last | Were the production double what it is demand

as against the American and other rings? American Standard Oil Company certainty controlled the industry, but then the oilfields of the world were well defined. They were in Russia and America. An arrangement was entered into between the Standard and Nobels, who controlled the Russian business, Dr. Bernard Wallace said that, in his opin- to divide the trade, the sphere of operations of each being well defined. After the Baku catastrophes and the decline of the Russian industry, the Stendard invaded those portions of Europe from which it had origically been excluded. The Roumanian and Galician producers, however, were able to take the place Russia could have occupied and fight the encroachments of the Standard. As our colonies begin to produce, a tariff will be erected in the number of different oil-fields necessarily reduces the Standard's power overthe industry. Mr. Henry was enthusiastic as to the possibilities of oil within the Empire referring particularly to Tripidad and Newfoundland, as Meaved " field of great importance. -- P.M.G

SUGAR IN THE PHILIPPINES.

BIG SCHEME PROJECTED.

Three million pesos of Hawalian capital will be spant in the development of a so,000 acre sugar plantation within 30 miles of Manila in less than to months according to a report current at Manila on the 14th inst. that the Dilliogham interests of Honolulu through their agent, Mr. A. F. Thayar, had taken over the Calamba estate comprising, 10,000 acres of friar lands and had contracted for 10,000 acres additional in public and private lands adjoin ing the estate.

These lands are located in Laguna province and have superb water facilities, as they from on the lake and have two rivers flowing through the property that will furnish upwards of 50,000 barrels a day. This will enable every acre of the land to be irrigated after the Hawaiian system which has proved such a success.

Mr. Thayer, who is known to have spent more than two months looking at lands in provinces near Manila, refused either to affirm; or deny the report, although it is known that the Bureau of Lands now is at work on the final certificates showing the purchase of these lands for the Dillingham interests of which Mr. Walter Dillingham, a multi-millionsire sugar producer of Honolulu; is the head.

From all the facts available, it is learned that the average price paid by Mr. Thayer for the entire 20,000 acres is between P 40 and P 50 . & Co. :an acre. From the moment it was learned that ha was in the field to buy lands, prices of pri-'vately owned estates are said to have gone shooting skyward until some of the smaller baciendas near the Calamba are now held as strongly as city lots.

According to information reaching The Manila Times from Honolulu, the purchase price is the smallest item in the investment. Machinery for a mill to cost £600,000 already. has been ordered in Honolula dand will be shipped immediately on receipt of the cablegram from Mr. Thayer announcing that the purchase of land has been completed.

It is understood to have been the original purpose of the Dillinghams to buy at least se,opb acres, but the price limits are said to have been such as to prevent carrying out this plan. Even with 20,000 acres, sugar planters say, labour will prove a problem as upwards of a thousand field hands must be employed,

That the Calamba estate has been sold is evidenced by the work already under way on the plantation where roads looking to its planting in sugar now are being cut across the fields.

According to the original plans the Dillingham interests will build their own wharves at the plantation, operating their owa line of launches and barges, enabling them to load the figished sugar directly upon ocean going steamships in Manila bay.

It is understood that the great facilities of Manila as a port with its superb harbour led to the confining of Mr. Thayer's attentions clusely to possible purchases in the immediate neighbourhood of the island's metropolis. Another factor said to have entered into the selection is the wider labour market existing

Aside from water transportation, the Calamba estate is within a mile of railroad facilities and that the Manila Kailway company already has promised to put in a spur tract direct to the mill site as soon as it shall be needed.

Mr. Walter Dillingham, who is now in Honolulu, is expected in the Philippines within 60 days and as soon as the cans crushing season new purchase to prepare the land and plant the

WE understand that the governors of the Foreign School, Tokyo, have appointed Mr. Coates, of Macao Commercial School, bead master for a term of three years. Mr. Coates, who has been nearly four years in the neighbouring colony, will be replaced, in October, by Mr. G. F. Nightingale, 1st-B,5c, of the London University, at present Assistant Master and House Master of Battle Hill School, Hexham, Northumberland, Rogland, and late Assistant Master of Dover Military College, Kent. Mr. Coates is a painstaking teacher and his departure wilt be generally regretted at Macao.

Events Coming.

Wednesday, 20th April, Geo. P. Lammert, auction sale of valuable Leasehold Property at sales room, Noon,

Thursday, 21st April. Hughes and Hough auction sale of linen and ewellery, II a.m. Hongkong Tennis League Annual Meeting at the Cricket Club Pavilion, 5.15 p.m.

Friday, 22nd April. Sale of Property, Hughes and Hough, 3 p.m.

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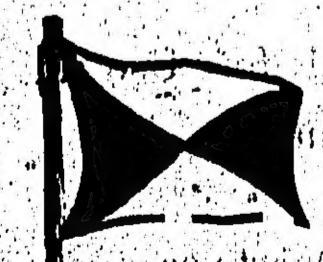
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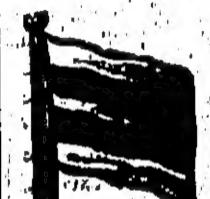
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Instructions are given to, the contrary within Goods not cleared by the 20th inst., at 4 P.M. will be subject to rent.

No Fire insurance will be effected by me in any case whatever. Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowas, for examination by the Consigner's and the Company's representatives at an

appointed hour. All claims must be presented within tendays of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised.

No claims will be admitted after the goods bare left the Godowns.

B. A. HEWETT. Superintendent. Hangkong, 14th April, 1910

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Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consigner's and the Company's representative at an appointed hour.

All. Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here after which date they cannot be recognised. No Olaims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns.

E. A. HEWETT. Superintendent Hongwong, 14th April 1010.

"BEN" LINE OF STRAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S.S. "BENAVON."

FROM ANTWERP, MIDDLESBROY LONDON AND STRAITS. ONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra

hazardons Godowns of the Hongkoug and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd. whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have laft the Godowns, and all Goods remain-

ing undelivered after the agrd inst., will be sub-All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be

examined on the 23rd inst, at 11 A.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hougkong, 16th April, 1910.

S.S. "CACHAR." COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

ONSIGNERS of Cargo from London as Cordonan, from Haves on s.s. Dordogne, and from Bordsaux ex s.s. Ville Dungerque, in connection with above Steamer, are

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of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and
Godown Co. Ld. at Kowloon, whence delivery
may be obtained immediately after landing
Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless
intimation is received from the Consigness before Noon, TO-DAY, 19th Inst., sequesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the

Undersigned, Goods remained unclaimed after the 26th inst, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

All claims must be sent in to me on or before the srth April or they will not be

All damaged packages will be examined TUESDAY, 26th April 1910, at 1834.
No Fire Insurance has been exected.

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MONDAY, 25th

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Allagar	
Anglo Malay 49,718 55,16	
Ayer Molek	
Balgownie 7,196 9,01	
Batu Caves 1,259 1,46	
Bertam 10,000	22,500
Bukit Kajang 937 2,60 Bukit Rajah 37,362	73,686
Bukit Lintung 2,500 2,85	0 7.350
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Kalumpong	16,465
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Sengat	9,923
Sungai Choh 3,150 3,550	9,550
Sungei Kapar 16,900 Sandycroft 6,438 6,280	34,000
Seafield 8,500 11,437	18,937
Selangor	66,781
· Senawang 4,279 5,310	4,569
Shelford 5.700 6,90 2	15,700
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TRE WEATHER.

The following report is from Mr. F. G. Figg. Director of the Hongkong Observatory:-On the 19th at 11.55 a. - The barometer has risen quickly in Wladiwostok and over the E. coast of Chins, and fallen moderately over Japan, the Loochoos and the Bonins,

The depression lying in the neighbourhood of Wladiwostok yesterday, had moved towards N.E. The Eastern Sea depression is moving Eastwards near the Loochoos. Pressure is highest over N. China.

Fresh to strong N.E. winds may be expectad in the Formosa Charnel and over the northarn shores of the China See. Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending

at to a.m. to-day, 0.14 inches. FORECAST.

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Z. Formosa Channel, N.E. winds, fresh. 2-South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamocks, Same as No. 1. Ar-Bouth coast of China between Hongkong 406 Hairas, Same as Mo. L.

SHIPPING AND MAILS

German (Buelow) 20th inst. Indiann (Laisane) agth inst. French (Australien) 25th inst. German (Prins Waldemar) ist prox Canadian (Wenteagle) 10th May.

Shipping.

Vuennang Br. v.s. 1,105, P. H. Rolfe, 18th April-Manila ,15th April Gev.-J., M. & Yatshing, Br. 8 3. 1,414. S. J. Payne, 18th April

-Dainy 12th April Coal .- J., M. & Co. Zufire, Rr. v.r., 1.618, R. Rodgers, 18th April -- Marila 16th April Sugar, and Gen .- S.,

Chion, Aust. s.s. 2,868, J. Berguglian, 18th April-Singapore 12th, April Gen.-S., W. K rut, Cer, s.e., 1,772 W. Schmidt, 18th April-Bangkok and Kohsichang oth April Rice.

Singan, Br. s.s., 1.804. Jameison, 18th April--Halphong 16th April Gon -B. & S. Seang Bee, Br. s s. 3,784 W. T. Larkins, 18th April-Singapore 13th April Gen,-

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Keemun Br. s.s., 5,865, R. J. Conrade 19th April-Manila 17th April Gen.-B. & S. Haimun, Br. s.s. 636, J. W. Evans, 19th April " "Sentow 18th April, Gen .- D. L. & Co. Kalfong, Br. s.s., 987 Warrack, 19th April-Cebu 13th April, and Hollo 15th Hemp

and Wood. -B. & S. -Shanghai 15th April Gen .- B, & S. Suveric of Glasgow, Br., s.s., 4 050, F. S. Cowley 19th April - Scattle Wash, 8th April Flour and Fish .- D. & Co.

Cachar, Fr. s.s., 3,667, Lauriol, 19th April-Saigon 15th April Divers,-M. M. Meeloo, Chirs.s., 2,339, J. McArthur, 19th April -Shanghai 16th April, Gen.-O. M. S.

N. Co. Calchas, Br. s.s. 3,643. Rodway, 19th April-Shanghai 16th April Gen.-B. & S.

Clear snoon at the Harlour Office. Onsient; for Hongay. Carl Deider cheen, for Haiphong. Halyang, for Swatow, Toming, for Manila. Hakata Maru, for Singapore. Rejabura, for Swatch. Cachar, for Shanghai.

Kidne Pin , for Chingkiang. Shacheing, for Canton, Det at tarea Cyclops, for Takao. Haiyanz, for Swatow. Ren von, for Shanghal, Fukura Maru, for Wakamalsu. Tecakal, for Singapore,

Anhul. for Capton. Taming, for Manila. Carl Diede loksen, for Halphong.

l'hakippera appirad. Per Sineau, from Haiphang-Messrs. Allen and MacGine. Per Korst, from Bangkok-Mrs. and Miss Kraft, Mrs. Rush-Benter, Misses Stilson and

Per Chien, from Singapore-Capt. Bublok, Misses Gunte's Mungi, Mr. Memager D. F. of family, Mrs. Bremer and 2 children, Mr. and

Mrs. Panet, Mr Fary and Mrs. Lec. Per Koren, from San Francisco &c .- Mr. Geo H. Barber, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Butcher, Merses, W. H. Dean, H. C. Denson, A. G. Fanuel. Mr. and Mrs. R. Hildebrand, Messes, C. T. Kreike, L. S. Sing, C Q Hop and son, Ferd Corres, Miss Grace Martin Mr and Mrs. C. P. Mayner, Messrs. G. H. Phippe, S. B. Price, V. E. Sterling, Miss E. S. Sutherland,

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Shipping Report, Str. Seang Bee, from Singapore:- Light N.N.E. N.N.W. winds smooth sea fine and

STEAMERS,

Amigo, Ger. s.s., 822, H. Frandsen, 17th April -Haiphong and Holhow 16th April Coal and "undries .- J. & Co. Bangkok, Ger. s.s., 1,137, F. Nicolaisen, 13th April-Bangkok 4th April, Rice and Meal,

Benvenue, Br. s.s., 2,503, Kroble, 17th April-Bingo Maru, Jap. s.s., 3,873, Hasimoto, 14th April-Yokohama and Moji Sth April, Coal and Gen.-T. K. K.

Bujun Maru, Japi a.a., 1,304. Y. Fuseno, 17th April—Swatow 16th April Gen -O. S. K. Ching Wo, Br. s.s., 2,517, H. Brown, 19th April Glasgow 4th April, Gen.—B. & S. Chihli, Hr. s.s., 1,142, Lindberg, 31st Mar.,—B. & S. Chingtofu, Chi. s.s. 1,419, Joers, 14th April-Salgon 10th April Rice -- Wallets & Go. Cholsing, Gar. s.a., 1.021, Brohn, 16th April --Kohsichang 7th April and Swatow, 15th Rice and Meet, B. & S.

Daiya Maru, Jap. 8.8, 1,735, Kobayashi, 17th
April—Moji 12th April Coal.—M. B. G.K. Derwent, Br. s.s., 1,520, J. Jenkins, 12th April —Salgon 8th April, Rice, Meal and Gen.

Devawongse, Ger. s.s., 1,057, F. Rehwaldt, 11th April—Bangkok via Kobalchang 2nd April Rice and Meal-B. & S. Drufar, Nor. s.s. 1,101, J. Bhy, oth April-Bangkok 8th Spril Gen. Ku Tye Lung.

Empress of China, Br. s.s., 3,046, R. Archibald, R.W.R., and April-Vancouver, B.C. 11th Mar., Mails and Gen.-C. P. R. Co. Frithjof, Nor. s.s., 891, O. Andersen, 15th April -Haipbong 12th April, Coment-stone and

Rice.—Asgaard, Thoresen & Co. Germania, Ger. 1.714. O. Jurgensen, 16th April,
-Bingkok 8th April, Rice,-J. & Co. Glenfarg, Br. s.s., 7,053, W. Hartnell, 3rd April -Shanghal 31th Mar., Ballast-S., T. &

Gleustrae, Br. s.s., 3,054, J. McGilleray, 17th

April-Shanghai 14th April Gen.-S. Halvard, Nor. 12, 1,066, C. Anderson, 11th April-Bangkok 4th April Rice.-Asgaard, Thoresen & Co.

Helene, Ger. s.s., 771, J. Jessen, 16th April-Henrik Ibsen, Nor. s.s., 2,094, C. Smith, 11th April-Pertland via Moji 6th April, Flour -Pacific Mall.

Hin Sang, Br. s. .. 1,528, Smith. 13th At rll-Saigon 8th April, Rice and Paddy .- J., M. Hopsang, Br. s.s., r. 359, J. M. Hay, 6th April -Bangkok 29th Mar., Rice. - J., M. & Co.

Holstein, Ger. s.s., 991, D. Heuk, 12th April-Daloy 5th April Coal -J. & Co. April-Shaughal 14th April Gen.-N. Y. Jacob Diederichsen, Ger. s.s., 630, A. Hansen;

13th April-Hoihow 11th April, Gen,-Johanne, Ger. s.s., 952, M. Ipland, 17th April-Saigon 13th April Rice.-J. & Co. Kagoshima Maru, Jap. s.s., 4,405, M. Kawa, 11th April-Motoran 1st April, Coal.-H.

Bhachsing, Br. s.s., 1,307, McIntosh. 19th April | Kjeld, Norw. s.s., 910, Hellsoe, 9th April, Manila6th April, Ballast .- Aagaard, Thore-

sen & Co. Korea, Am. s.s. 5.651, J. W. Saunders, 18th April-San Francisco via Ports 22nd Mar., Mail and Gen.—P. M. S. N. Co. Kwallin, Br. s.s., 1,073, C. W. Puckett, 13th

April-Swatow 12th April-B, & S. Lauries, Br. s.s., 1,380, H. C. D. Frampton, oth April-Salgon 5th April, Gen.-Wo Lightning, Br. as, 2,122, A. R. Gentles, 12th

April-Calcutta 27th Mar., Penang 2nd April, and Singapore 6th Gen .- D. S. & Marie, Ger. s.c., 1,169, Christiensen, 13th April

-Salgon oth April, Rice and Flour.-J. 5 P.M. Mandasan Maru, Jap. s.s. 3,245, K. Shimideu, 4th April -Mike 30th Mar., Coal,-M. B.

Mandal, Nor. s.s., 1, 194, Erichsen, 9th April -Chinklang 5th April, Groundnut. - Asgeard. Thoresen & Co Mathilde, Ger. s.s., 831, C. Ulderup, 16th April -Holhow 15th April Gen.-J. & Co.

Murex, Br. s.s., 3,066, Head, 16th April-Balik Pappan Sth April, Liquid Fuel-A.P. & Co. Paoting, Br. s.s., 1,050, E. L. Jones, 10th Mar.,
—Saigon 4th Mar, Rice.—B & S. Pheang Shing, Br. s.s., 1,265, Liddell, 11th April — Tientsin 3rd April, Gen.—J., M. & Co Pheum Penh, Br. s.s., 1,056, Jas. H. Scott, 3rd April-Saigon 30th Mar., Rice and Gen.

-Wo Fat Sing. Pongtong, Ger. s.s., 997, W. Böteführ, 14th April-Bangkok 6th April, Rice and Timber.-B. & S.

Rajaburi, Ger. s.s., 1,904, H. Bremer, 13th April-Bangkok 6th April, Rice-M. &

April-Manila 9th April, Hemp, Matches Saltfish Gen.-O. S. K. Strathapey, Br. s.s., 2,852, J. P. Hurry, 9th April-N.S.W., Java and Hollo 4th Ap il, Enrope-Per Linan, 30th April 6 P.M. Gen .- S., T. & Co.

Taikosan Maru, Jap. s s., 1,994, J. Fukul, 14th April-Moji 7th April Coal,-M. B. K. Talyuan, Br. s.s. 1,470, Dawson, 6th April-Australia oth Mar., Gon. - B. & S. Teucer, Br. s.s., 5,820, G. W. Parkinson, 171

April-Tacoma 23rd Mar., Gen.-B. & S. Teenkai, Br. s.s., 3,210, F. W. Cullum, roth April -Shanghai 13th April Gen.-B.& S. Telemachus, Br. s.s., 1,340, Edwards, 17th April -Salgon 13th April Gen .- Wo Fat Sing. Tenyo Maru, Jaj. s.s., 7,265, E. Bent, 12th April-San Francisco via Ports 15th Mar. and Yokohams 4th April, Gen.-T. K. K. Leintan, Ger. s.s., 1,002, S. Heyenge, 16th April -Bangkok dih April Rice and Mesi,-

Verona, Ger. s.s., 1,990, F. Kümmall, 3rd April -Kobe 26th Mar., Geo.-G. & Co.

Ships Passed The Canal.

Luinow, Kabinga, Kaga Maru, Peleus, Vermont. 5th April - Alcinous, H. F. Ferdinand Pathan. 8th April-Henrit Simons, Kawachi Maru, Mackaon, Polyphemus, Senegambia, 18th April - Bendety, Canton, Donbighskire, Derflinger, Japan, Kasama, Macedonia, Ningchow, Arcadia, 15th April -Antenor Ateuta Maru, Denbighshire, Indien, Kamo Maru, Laertes, Prinzess Alice, St. Patrick Segovia; Socotra, Tourane, Vorevaerts, Walsh

Arrivals at Home-1st April-Armand Behic, Hyson, Kennebec. 5th April-Kalsow, Glenturret, Kintuck. 7th April-Nyansa. 8th April-Carnarvonskirs, Kaga Mari, Luisow, George, Yunan, 18th April-Norman

HONGRONG TIBE TABLE.

From April 19th to 25th, 1910.

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A Mail will close for ---Holhow and Pakhoi-Per Mathilds, 20th April 8 A.W. Swatow-Per Haiman, 20th April, 9 A.M.

Swatow and Shanghai-Per Hangering, 20th April, to A.M. Moji Kobe, Yokobama and Pottland-Per Southe Maru, 20th April 10 A.M.

Singapore, Penang and Calcutta-Per Lightmine, soth April, 10 A.M. Batavia, Samarang and Sourabaya - Per Hildry, 20th April to A.M. Europe, &c., India via Tuticorin-Per Prine Ludwig, 21st April o A.M.

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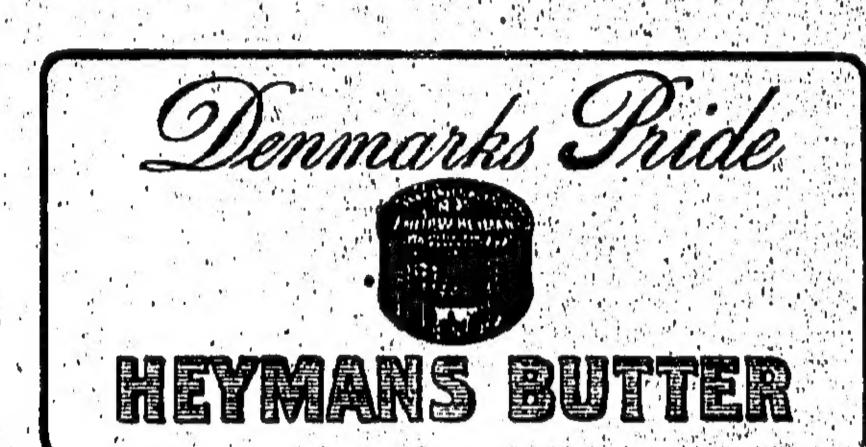
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